

The Holt County Sentinel.

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—Bart. Deany has rented the Jacob Harmon farm near Maitland.

—H. Larkham, of the Eureka district is feeding a car load of cattle.

—J. G. Cowan & Son have good, home-grown blue grass seed for sale.

—Write to A. A. McIninch, St. Joe, for prices on any goods you may want.

—The Gentleman's Reform Club of this city, has rented the Odd Fellow's Hall.

—Order your dry goods of A. A. McIninch, St. Joe. Prices lower than ever before.

—Mrs. Henry Spitzer, of Ohio, is visiting her parents, John Proud and wife, of this city.

—One Yard Wide Sea Island Cotton 1 1/2 cents per yard at McIninch's, St. Joe, Mo.

—Christ Meyer Post meets Saturday evening Feb'y 14th Important business; let all attend.

—A colt belonging to August Broacher, committed suicide last week by hanging itself.

—James Fryman has gone to Clay township, where he is canvassing for the National Garment Cutter.

—George Patterson, of Upper Holt, has been taken to the St. Joseph Insane asylum, for temporary insanity.

—The Encampment branch of the I. O. O. F. of this city, will be removed to Mound City in the near future.

—Mrs. J. Kenyon, Mrs. Jacob Harmon and Mrs. Ross, of Clay township, are seeing the sights at New Orleans.

—King & Proud will exhibit the finest lot of valentines ever seen in the town. Price from fifteen cents to \$2.00 each.

—On Wednesday last, seventy-five cars of grain passed Forest City going South—it was Nebraska grain and came over the B. & M. road via Roswell.

—Itch and Scratches of every kind cured in 30 minutes by Woolfords Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. This never fails. Sold by Hinde & Plutrick Drug-gist, Oregon.

—Amos Castle has returned to his trade and has opened his shop in the harness store of Anderson & Boyd, where he will be glad to see his many former customers.

—W. R. Hoffmann has for sale town property from \$400 and up; also a cheap business house in town, and farms from forty to 160 acres; one well improved farm at \$16 per acre.

—Several of our correspondents have a habit of sending in their items on Wednesday—to insure insertion the same week, they should be mailed to us no later than Tuesday. Remember this, please.

—C. W. Lukens, dentist, will be at the Commercial House, Maitland, on Wednesday, February 11th; at the Hiatt House, Mound City, Thursday and Friday February 12th and 13th. Remember the date.

—Oregon, Mo., has a fiend in human shape who recently attempted to set fire to a large building in that city. When caught, he should be burned at the stake—give him some of the medicine he is trying to dose out to others.

—Savannah Reporter.

—The best place to get that sewing machine repaired is to bring it in to H. E. Coleman. Having a turning lache, good tools to work with, repairs on hand and eight years' experience, will do all work promptly, and give satisfaction. Can be found by calling at E. P. Hostetter's.

—Some of the Chicago papers are warning their readers against a couple of advertising dodges lately started in that city. They are called the "Chicago Post and Courier" and the "Farming World." Do not send your money to any such papers for subscription price or any thing else.

—The Woman's Christian Temperance Union met at the M. E. church last Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was a highly interesting one, and the ladies took hold of their respective work with much enthusiasm and good will. Their next meeting will be held at the reading room.

—For the benefit of our Sunday school workers, we offer the following practical suggestions on their Sunday School lesson for next Sabbath, which is found in Acts, 21: 27-40. The worst men are those who stir up others to do evil. Note, for self-warning, and mercy is to indulge slander and hate under the pretense of religious zeal.—Christians are watched, particular notice being taken of the company they keep.—See the value of a good conscience and steadfast faith; the calmest man in all the crowd at Jerusalem was that one whose life was in danger.—Opposition often widens, instead of narrowing, opportunity to do good.—If only we are intent on doing the Lord's work, defeat of our own plans will not much distress us, since in everything God's way is best.—How could Paul hold on through such experiences of thwarted purposes, and perils? He himself answers: "The life I now live, I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me."

—County court proceedings next week.

—Look out for a wedding in Union school district, ere many days.

—William Ball and F. S. Rostock, Jr., were in St. Joseph, this week.

—John Bucher came back to Oregon last week—only for a few days however.

—Representative Kellogg has introduced a bill prohibiting public executions.

—Mr. Freeland, of Everest, Kansas, was visiting Rev. Stephen Blanchard, last week.

—Mr. E. Duret, of Mound City, was in our city last week, the collector Wiley.

—Rev. Christy will preach at the M. E. church this city next Sunday morning and evening.

—Thomas S. Bragg & Son, New Point, have 40 bushels of No. 1 home-grown clover seed for sale.

—W. H. Richards has moved into his new property, and Frank Peter has occupied the residence vacated by Mr. Richards.

—Master Earl Richards has declared war on the old folks at home. He objects to his father learning the art of hair cutting on him.

—We learn that Miss Ida Tate, of Rock Port, who is well acquainted here, was severely injured last Saturday by being thrown from a horse.

—W. R. Hersberger, St. Joe, is visiting his parents. Miss Ida Pinkston has returned home from Nebraska City, where she has been studying music.

—Brother Van Pelt, of the Meteor, says he will take care in payment for subscription. He fails to say in what shape he will take it—in the ear, shell or joice.

—The moderation in the weather has just come along in time to keep up the reputation of January for always having a thaw. It was a very narrow escape, however.

—Died, January 23rd, 1885 Mrs. Ida May Wampler, of Hickory township, aged 21 years, 10 months and 15 days. She was interred in Oregon cemetery, Friday, January 30th, 1885.

—When you go to St. Joe take narrow Gauge Street Car Line, which runs from a half block of the depot to A. A. McININCH'S STORE, where you can buy any goods you want at retail at wholesale prices.

—James Scott and wife, were called to the eastern part of the State last week to see "Aunt Polly Miller" who was thought to be in a dying condition. Our latest information is that she is still alive but very low.

—John Pierson was the guest of Mrs. Sarah Smith the past week. Samuel Fryman was visiting his old neighbors in the country the past week. Hugh Westerhauser and family were visiting in Lincoln township, last week.

—L. Prang & Co., of Boston, have prepared for the event of St. Valentine's Day a series of beautiful and artistic valentines as unique and varied in design as they are appropriate to the sentiment of their mission. An elegant line of these goods can be seen at King & Proud's.

—Mrs. Eugene Bumps, of St. Joseph, was visiting her father, Uncle Andy Burrier, this week. T. H. Proud, of Atchison county, spent a few days in Oregon this week, the guest of his father, Uncle Johnny Proud. Elihu Oren, of Indiana, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Rachael Kirkpatrick, teacher in our public schools.

—I am going to do it. I mean business! Ladies' Cloaks, Gent's Overcoats, Boots, Shoes and Hats, Gent's and Boys' Clothing. In fact, you can find everything in his stock to be found in a First-Class Dry Goods House. And from now on until the 1st of January, 1885, will be sold at BED-ROCK FOR CASH. Remember the place, J. B. PAYNE.

—The successful merchant is the one who not only is prosperous in his business, but also, the one who builds up a reputation for enterprise and fair dealing. This is done by keeping right up with the times, in having a complete stock of the best goods, selected by good taste. Our readers will understand immediately that we are now referring to the attractive establishment of Corsaut & Meyer, of Mound City. Mr. Meyer makes a success of his business, and it is constantly becoming more prosperous, because in the first he persists in having nothing but the square dealings with his customers. They shall have what they want at fair prices. Again, he secures in the market a choice variety of goods in all departments, so that a purchaser always feels that he not only gets his money's worth, but gets a class of goods that are strictly first-class in every particular. Mr. Corsaut keeps a large stock, gives good bargains, and the people of Holt county are beginning to find it out; consequently the trade is growing all the time, all this we are compelled to say after years of observation and knowledge of this firm's sterling business qualifications and upright dealings. There is no better stock of goods or more attractive establishment in North west Missouri.

—Mrs. Edward Richards, of Mound City, is in very poor health.

—C. J. Holt will be present at the literary entertainment this evening.

—Mrs. James Brown, Mary Noland and Raebael Wilkinson are all seriously ill.

—Samuel Matcomb is selling the National Garment Cutter in Johnson county.

—Ed. Hart and Will Everhart of Maitland, were in attendance at the county court this week.

—Henry Minton and sons Dr. J. L. and W. E., will start for the New Orleans Exposition next Monday.

—Don't forget the literary entertainment at the Opera House this Thursday evening for the benefit of the Young Ladies Temperance Union.

—School Commissioner Drake will hold an examination of teachers, in the Oregon school building, on Saturday, February 21st, beginning at 9 o'clock A.M.

—The best thing yet for the money, is the SENTINEL in connection with the Prairie Farmer, with a large wall map of the United States—all three for the small sum of three dollars.

—Rev. Roberts was unable to fill his pulpit here last Sunday, by reason of his being called to preach the funeral sermon of Michael Debolt, who died at home in Hickory township last Thursday.

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—Mrs. Montgomery, Goslin, Evans, and Hohltzell and Miss Jennie Cotton, Elma Hersberger, Cora Russell and Carrie Anderson and others are attending the temperance convention at Mound City this week.

—The young ladies who have enlisted in the temperance work held their first meeting in their new quarters last Thursday evening. Their program was an excellent one and was well filled. A number of new members were enrolled.

—Jimnie Cottier called Monday, and we were disappointed in not having an opportunity to see that boy of his, but when he informed us that he had left the boy at home to look after the stock, we at once became reconciled.

—We learn that W. R. Springer and his son Paul, will meet W. R.'s brothers, the Squire of White Cloud, and William of this county, at the New Orleans Exposition, and return this way, and over the U. P. to their California home.

—Report of the Woods school, J. C. Morris, teacher, for the month ending January 16th: days taught, 18; enrollment, 48; average daily attendance, 40; average daily attendance of each, 14; those attending each day were: Lulu Nash, Altha Hester, Lydia Kurtz, Susie Simmons, Minnie Simmons, Annie Buntz, Della Lyons, Eva Lyons, Charlie Kurtz, Isaac Kurtz, Elliot Kurtz, Asher Hester, John Simmons, Philip Buntz, Fred Mark, Peter Fryman.

—The record of the Missouri State Horticultural society at New Orleans was indeed one of which the citizens of this state have every reason to be proud. The society captured more premiums than any other state, and this, too, without having received any help from the state. The state should appropriate money sufficient to have the exhibit kept up until the close of the exposition. It would be a splendid investment, as the exhibit would prove a great advertisement of the wonderful fruit growing resources of the state.

—Thus far nature has not favored the New Orleans Exposition. The rainfall has been unusually heavy, serving to cast over everything a wat blanket, and at best that city would have many disadvantages to contend with as compared with Philadelphia; but February, March and April, bleak months at the North, are the most delightful of all the year in that city. Magnolia and sun-balm take place of mud and clouds, and it is not too much to expect that cheer in place of gloom will date from the installation of the old liberty bell, with all its hallowed and inspiring associations, memories, and suggestions.

—A number of citizens met at the Court House on Saturday evening last, pursuant to a call made by a number of citizens, a-king for the organization of a cemetery association. W. T. Eddy was chosen chairman and C. O. Prond, secretary. The object of the meeting was stated by the chairman, and the condition of the cemetery was discussed by Dr. Goslin, J. L. Allen, George Anderson, Levi Zook and others. A committee of seven was appointed, consisting of J. L. Allen, chairman, Levi Zook, Geo. Anderson, A. Goslin, Robert Montgomery, T. C. Dungan and E. VanBuskirk, to investigate the matter and report some plan of operation to the meeting in two weeks. The meeting then adjourned to meet Saturday evening, February 14th.

—Probate court next Monday.

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—Wm. E. Everhart has purchased the Commercial Hotel at Maitland. He knows how to run a hotel.

—Mrs. Anna Barnes and children of Westboro, Mo. are visiting the parents of Mrs. B., James L. Allen, Esq.

—A bright little girl baby put in her appearance on Thursday last, at the residence of Rev. T. D. Roberts, of New Point.

—Married, on the 1st inst., by Esquire Hoffmann, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. D. B. Lyons and Miss Nettie Watson.

—A series of very interesting meetings have been in progress the past week at the German M. E. church. Much interest has been manifested.

—Hattie Howard aged about seventeen years, daughter of J. M. Howard and wife, of Oregon, departed this life last Wednesday, February 4th, 1885, from blood poisoning.

—Mr. J. N. Menifee, one of the leading citizens of Oregon, Holt county, passed through the city yesterday on his way home from New Orleans. He pronounces the exposition a grand success.—St. Joseph Gazette.

—George F. Schaeffer, proprietor of the St. Joseph Co-Operative Store, Maitland, Mo., offers the entire stock of the Co-Operative at Bed rock figures from now on in order to close out and quit business. This is no idle talk. Read what he has to say on the 4th page of this paper.

—H. T. Alkire, Public Administrator and attorney at law, has moved his office into the front room up stairs in the SENTINEL building, where he will be found ready at all times to attend to any business connected with his office as Public Administrator, or anything connected with the law practice, collections, etc.

—C. J. Holt, the temperance lecturer, will not begin his series of lectures in Forest City, February 6th, as was expected, owing to his not receiving the letters from the committee setting the time for him until it was too late. In the near future, however, he hopes to be able to come, and then we will be glad to see a good turn out. Com.

Wood.

—Will Derr has lost a few head of cattle this winter.

—Ask Doc. Kyger who told him that Cleveland is elected.

—Cold weather is about gone, and no body froze to death.

—Mrs. Tritt was quite sick last week but is now much better.

—There was a hop at Mr. Marion's last week; the boys report a box time.

—Mr. George Kurtz and wife have gone to housekeeping near his father's.

—Spelling at the Grove last week; a big crowd out and a good time generally.

—Mrs. Williams, of Kansas, has been visiting her father, Mr. Ryan near Richville.

—It is reported that J. H. Buntz is going to ship hogs in opposition to Mr. Gelvin.

—Mr. M. Gelvin and H. Young have each placed a fine wind mill on their farms this winter.

—Miss Mattie Morris, who has been attending school at Kirksville, will return this week to her home near New Point.

—Our literary meets every Thursday night and the house is crowded every night, quite a number of young ladies and gentlemen from Oregon attended last week. Come again folks.

—They say Mr. James Ramsey was sick all the way from New Orleans until he crossed the Nodaway River when he became much better, and when he landed at Forbes he was sound and well.

Forest City.

—Mr. S. J. Buzan has purchased the Joe Pollock property.

—W. E. Minton has sold his residence in Forest City to O. D. Chadwick.

—The sale at L. M. Kaul's was well attended and property brought good prices.

—Mr. Orvel Graves has sold his interest in the firm of Graves & Weber, to Mr. Emil Weber who will continue the business at the old stand.

—Mr. Chas. Crawford, who has been with us the past four years, left Wednesday for his old home Rome, New York. Next year we will have mention that he has returned.

—A good old custom that had nearly gone out of practice, has lately been renewed, kissing by moonlight; Oh ye Galls; meet me by moonlight alone, and the I will tell you a tale in the grove, on the hill where the Jack oaks prevail.

Bluff City.

—Master Ira Parvis is still quite ill.

—Miss Nettie Hupp is visiting in Forbes.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hunter last week, a girl.

—Mrs. Hanson is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hunter.

—Riley Armstrong and Sam. Brownlee, of Forbes, are visiting Mr. Peter Spies of this vicinity.

—Mrs. Purvis returned home after a week's visit in Nebraska; she reports that it is colder up there than here.

—Mr. Simmons received a letter from his son in Texas, who reports snow three inches deep and cattle dying by the hundreds.

—Mr. Hahn, of this vicinity was called away from his home last Sabbath night to the bedside of his brother, who, it is feared will never recover.

Corning.

—Joe. Spencer rejoices in a girl baby at his house.

—Len Walter was buying goods in St. Joe, Monday.

—The deputy sheriff of Atchison county was in town last Wednesday.

—Robert Young, road supervisor, went to Oregon, Wednesday, to make settlement.

—Little Miss Sophia Thei, of Nebraska, was the guest of Mrs. Ahrens over Sunday.

—Homer Stewart, train dispatcher at St. Joseph, was calling on the fair sex in our midst last Tuesday.

—F. W. Walter is having the small house, just north of the Hotel, moved to his residence lots south of town.

—Peter Christen, our lumber merchant, sold several large bills of lumber to several Nebraskians during the past week.

—The Lutheran church is at last on its foundation and will soon be repaired and ready for services within a few Sundays.

—The Hotel Office has been refitted, from top to bottom, by Jim Orange, and no doubt, it is the nicest job that has been done in town for some time.

—Emmett Walter left Sunday for Kansas City. He goes for the purpose of taking a two months course in the well known business college of that city.

—Mr. Albert Asendorf was the recipient of a fine present from his wife on Sunday last, in the way of a big bouncing boy. This is the seventh boy and nary a girl. O! gosh.

—Richard Huffman, of Atchison county, was drawn to Corning last week on account of his pension claim. He has many friends here who will be glad to hear at any time of his success in obtaining the same.

—Len Thompson, a well known Atchison county pedagogue, passed through town on Sunday on his way home from Oregon, where he had been to see his best girls. If this note should meet the eyes of the Oregon girls don't all claim him.

—On invitation of the children of our popular citizen, Mr. F. W. Walter, the latter popular and handsome residence was filled early Thursday evening with friends to take part in the festivities of the evening, viz: the celebration of their silver wedding, or the 25th Anniversary of their marriage. A few very appropriate remarks were made by the Rev. Chas. Bock, after which a delicious repast was served amid an occasional sip of the cup. The evening was whiled away until the "wee sma' " hours, and all leaving with many warm expressions for the future and hoping Mr. and Mrs. Walter will enjoy twenty-five more years of pleasure.

—Corning, rated among the first as to the intelligence of her populace, contain a few dens in which live families—if one is pardoned for applying that term to them—who raise their youth to anything that is vile and still help give the innocent children of better parentage into their infamous workings. Such an instance as happened in our midst one night last week (hardly fit to be alluded to in this column) is a shame and disgrace to that better element of society which you find here. Mothers, you are to blame to a certain extent. Why do you not place a restraint upon this horrible practice of your boys loafing around the stores and on the corners after night? Many a poor soul with in the stone walls of those large buildings at Jefferson City has had just such a rearing, and what a sorrowful aspect they present to-day. Your home and our school room are not working together as they should. If the best of influence around the hearth at home, does not prevail what good are your children in the school? Oh! shame on the parents of just such boys. We would like to go on, but the columns of this paper are too precious to waste in giving advice to those whom we know that scorn and ridicule it.

—The Kimsey gets full every day.

—Mr. Burnett will move from our midst soon.

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COME TO STAY.

Of Interest to the People of Holt County.

I have come to stay; will furnish you with a first class stock of dry goods and shoes for cash at city prices, which you have long been in need of. My stock consists of all classes of dry goods, such as table linens, napkins, towels, and the best line of ginghams and domestic in town. Notions in all the latest novelties. A fine line of ladies' handkerchiefs, embroideries, laces, and hosiery in all qualities and sizes. Corsets a specialty. A full line of gent's furnishing goods always on hand. I have purchased the celebrated Selz, Schwab & Co's fine custom made shoes, in men's, ladies' and children's sizes; warrant them in every respect—if not satisfactory you have the privilege of returning and money will be refunded. No trouble to show goods. Call and compare prices. JOE. FITTS.

Forbes.

—A dance at A. L. Kelley's last Wednesday night.

—Joe Collier has purchased the Bear place on the river southwest of town.

—Mrs. C. W. Pierce was visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Hupp, south of Oregon last week.

—Noah's animals south of town have a special antipathy to each other. His ox gored his horse.

—Joe Kretzer and a Miss Craig were united in wedlock at the residence of A. G. Young last Thursday night. Success Joe.

—We heard a couple of young ladies say that young men with sleighs could find fortunes if they would take courage. Don't talk so loud girls.

—John A. Smith, formerly a resident of this place, was in town last week. He will probably move back next spring. We will be glad to have you with us again, John.

—Grandpa Collins, father-in-law of P. W. Shambaugh, an old resident of Buchanan county, is visiting with Esq. Shambaugh for a few days. Mr. Collins purchased the residence of G. T. Metkiff last Saturday. Price, \$500. He is now one of us. Welcome, grandpa.

The Bottom.

—The spelling at the school house last Saturday night was well attended.

—Miss Sarah Tucker is giving the best of satisfaction, both to parents and pupils of our school.

—John Varvel, formerly a resident of this place, but now living in Nebraska, is here on a visit to his mother and sisters.

—Quite a number of our young folks went to a social hop up at Mr. Adam's last Friday night. They report a good time.

—The many friends of Mr. Richard Hahn will be sorry to learn that the doctors have pronounced his sickness beyond medical skill.

Rising Sun.

—Wm. Smith is combating that old fiend, asthma.

—Dr. Richardson, of St. Joseph, is attending Dr. Gordon.

—The party given by Miss Laura LaSalle was an enjoyable affair.

—Judge LaSalle has retired from the active management of his business at Burlington Heights.

—Miss Maggie Workman at the Rising Sun school house gives exercise in elocution and rhetoric every Friday afternoon. All invited.

Craig.

—We learn as we go to press of the death of Joseph Odell, which occurred at his home south of this city last night, of pneumonia.

—Cholera has been playing sad havoc with hogs in this vicinity recently. Doc Bastwick has lost a number of head, while other farmers have been equally fortunate.

—A. J. Bostwick, R. M. Price and others think of making an overland trip to Southern Kansas within the next few weeks. They want to take a look at the country and will buy it if they like it.

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